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Applicant : Dennis M. Smid et al.
 Serial No. : 10/043,454
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 For : CONSTRUCTION BOARD HAVING A NUMBER OF MARKS FOR FACILITATING THE
 INSTALLATION THEREOF AND A METHOD FOR FABRICATING SUCH
 CONSTRUCTION BOARD
 Examiner : Brian E. Glessner
 Art Unit : 3635

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Claims as Amended

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Total claims	22	Minus	= 28	0 ×	\$18(9)	= \$00.00
Independent claims	9	Minus	= 13	0 ×	\$84(42)	= \$.00
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